Monticello Parks Department June Programs 2023

Free Fishing at Bluewater Park is June 3rd from 8 to 10:45 am. Come learn about casting, bait, lures, have some donuts and more. Fun for the whole family!

POP Club is sponsored by the Farmers Market, Library and parks. Kids join free at the Tuesday Farmers Market at the West Bay of the Old Firehouse any time between 5 and 7 pm and learn about healthy eating and active living.

Art in the Park is for older students and adults and meets Wednesday June 7th for **Pastel Landscape** and Wednesday June 28th for **Quilled Wreath** at 6:00pm in the Bluestem Nature Center. Art and Nature are the themes. Cost is \$5.00 for each program. Please register for these classes by calling Parks at 574-583-3983 and leave a message or on line at montiparks.recdesk.com.

Garden Outings are programs to promote gardening by learning from other gardeners. This program is promoted by the parks and SWCD. **June 8** we will meet at **Larimers Neck of the Woods** at 7pm to tour the garden, greenhouse and orchard. **June 29** at 7pm we will meet at the **Community Gardens** on Hanawalt Street to hear Andrew Westfall from Purdue Extension talk about Plant Pathology.

Outdoor Explorers programs are for preschool to second graders with an adult. This year's theme is **Explore Our Parks**. We will meet Monday evenings: June 12 at Bluestem Nature Center, June 19 at Altherr Nature Park Amphitheater and June 26 in Lower City Park at the pavilion by the public access site at 6:00pm. We will do crafts and explore. Cost is \$3 each program. Register by calling Parks and leave a message 574-583-3983 or on line at montiparks.recdesk.com.

June Bug Jam starring students from the School of Guitar is Thursday June 15 at 8pm in the amphitheater in Altherr Nature Park. If it rains it will be in the Anheier Building in City Park. All ages will enjoy this.

Parks program information can be accessed on the City web site or Monticello Parks Department Facebook site. Join us for lots of summer fun!